

TRINITY TRUMPET

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5 Words of Mission
Fellowship,
Evangelize, Worship,
Study
& Serve

THE FINANCIAL CORNER
FYI 2005

As of 8/31/05	Budget	Actual
INCOME	101,580.62	90,000.57
EXPENSE	101,580.62	103,279.33
NET	-0-	-13,227.76

FROM THE MINISTER'S HEART ~

Did you notice a fine looking group of visitors last Sunday in worship? That was "G" company, 27th Infantry Regiment, 25th Division, better known as "The Wolfhounds!" Our own Bugs Turner was in this august World War II fighting group before he joined the Marine Corps. Margaret and Bugs hosted this 25th reunion that has taken place since 1978 throughout the country. I meant to recognize them last Sunday and it wasn't till after the service that I realized I hadn't. I'm sorry I missed that opportunity to publicly recognize so many of our brave veterans. Margaret told me that they had served in the Pacific and that Bugs joined them on Logan. As you can imagine, each year the group gets a little smaller in number, yet they will always be huge in hearts and memories of all grateful Americans and all people who enjoy their freedom due to these men's sacrifices and bravery.



Don't forget **Wednesday Oct. the 25th** we will have our fourth annual Reformation Celebration! Our theme, with costume contests, food and games, will reflect our reformed heritage that is officially celebrated every October 31, aka, Reformation Day. Exploring the history of the fathers of the Reformation like John Calvin, Martin Luther, Martin Bucer, Heinrich Bullinger, Theodore Beza, Philip Melancthon, Peter Martyr Vermigli, Huldreich Zwingli and even opponents like John Eck and the famous Johann Tetzel, seller of indulgences. It's a delightful evening full of food, fun and fellowship all starting at 6:30! Get your costume today!

Do you really understand how salvation works? Can you explain it to someone who is trying to understand Christianity? My new sermon series will be

highlighting the ordo salutis, aka, the order of salvation in the doctrine of Calvinism, aka, **TULIP** which stands for Total depravity, Unconditional election, Limited atonement, Irresistible grace, and Perseverance of the saints. The topics will be Effectual Calling, Regeneration and Conversion, Justification, Adoption/Sonship, Sanctification, Perseverance and Glorification. Bring a friend and a pencil, we'll provide the paper. Remember sermon note taking paper is available from the ushers. As always, there's more to come!

Your in Christ
Russell Wilkins, Your Minister

THE SESSION OF TRINITY

Rev. Russell A. Wilkins Moderator

Administration — Personnel	Russ Richardson, Moderator
Administration — Property	Tom Wright, Moderator, Tim Fette
Christian Education	Leslie Western, Moderator, Niki Mizell
Evangelism and Outreach	Jean Crain & Suzy Davis, Co-Moderators
Fellowship	B. R. Hughes & Lee Ann Hughes, Co-Moderators
Finance	John Hamilton, Moderator
World Missions	Russell Wilkins, Moderator
Nominating	Russ Richardson, Moderator
Stewardship	Jim Findley, Moderator
Worship and Music	Ginger Mann, Moderator, Orenne Niven

Ministry teams normally meet the first Wednesday of each month. The Session meets the third Sunday of each month at 7:00 PM.

Thank You!

The "Youth Mission Trips" garage sale netted \$743.00! Thanks to the generosity of our donors and volunteers. Saturday youth workers were Jacob, Manuel, Catherine and Sophia. A special thank you to our volunteers: Ann McAllister, Jean Heilman, Evie Kaufman, Lee Ann Hughes, Barbara Western, Amy and Emily Hannaford, Samantha Luna, Marie Findley, Bobbie and Tom Wright, Sue Lavender, Russell and Lisa Wilkins, Leslie and Freddy Western, and Dylan Manley.

Start saving items for our spring sale – See you then!

STEWARDSHIP DINNERS

Our Stewardship Dinners will be held October 24th, 25th, 27th, and 28th at 6:00 PM. The dinners will be hosted by: Jim and Marie Findley, Jim and Orenne Niven, Freddy and Leslie Western, and Tom and Bobbie Wright. You will be receiving directions to your host home in the mail soon.

Steady Growth

The Confessing Church movement, through today, in 46 states and Puerto Rico, is comprised of:

Congregations: 1,308
Members: 433,257

Nursery Volunteer

October 16, 2005

Meta Savage

Sunday
October 16, 2005

New Six Week Series
"Salvation:
It's All in Order"

This Sunday's Sermon:
"Effectual Calling"
Romans 9:1-8, 8:28-30
by

Rev. Russell Wilkins

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WHAT'S HAPPENING AT TRINITY?

Sunday, October 16th

- ◆ *Sunday School*
9:45 AM
- ◆ *Worship*
11:00 AM
- ◆ *MVP*
6:00 PM
- ◆ *Session*
7:00 PM

Tuesday, October 18th

- ◆ *Twin City Sensations*
6:00 PM

Wednesday, October 19th

- ◆ *WOW*
3:30-5:00 PM
- ◆ *Choir Practice*
5:30 PM
- ◆ *Catered Meal*
6:30 PM
- ◆ *Program*
7:15 PM

Thursday, October 20th

- ◆ *Cantata Practice*
6:30-8:00 PM

Saturday, October 22nd

- ◆ *Work Day @ Trinity*
8:00 AM

MVP and Session: Will meet this Sunday, October 16th, beginning at 6:00 PM for MVP and 7:00 PM for Session.

Wednesday, October 19th: WOW at 3:30 PM. Choir Practice will start at 5:30. Fellowship will begin at 6:30 with a catered-meal followed by our program at 7:15. The youth will not meet.

Cantata Practice: Each Thursday night from 6:30 – 8:00 PM in the choir room.

WORKDAY, Saturday, October 22nd: Make your plans to help trim hedges and do yard work to beautify our grounds for the glory of God. We will begin at 8:00 AM and lunch will be provided.

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Sue Middlebrooks Wayne Carmickle Russ Richardson
 Duane Haralson Cristina Western Clyde Johnson
 Judy Fette Emily Smith Sue Turner
 Deane Mossier Jo Marlowe Frank Symonds
 Edwin Day, grandson of Joanne & Terry Day
 Ted Moyer, friend of the Western's

THANK YOU!

Thank you for your recent gift to the Randy Sams' Outreach Shelter. Now, more than ever, we value your contribution. In addition to the services we provide our regular clientele, Randy Sams' is one of the agencies tasked with providing relief to evacuees from Hurricanes Katrina and Rita. This puts an additional burden on our resources. Thanks to you, and others in our community, we are meeting both sets of needs, and loving our neighbor!

The Board of the Randy Sam' Outreach Shelter

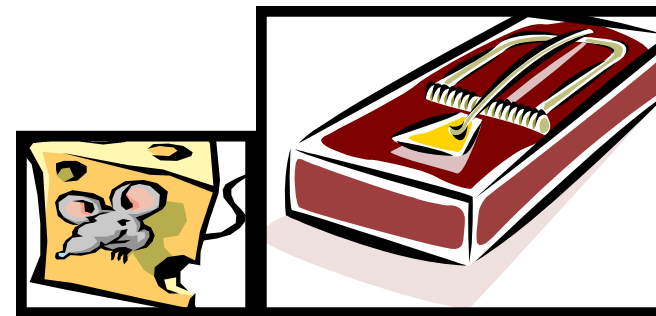
Actual Attendance & 2005 Attendance Goals 10/09/05

Actual	Goal
Sunday School 33	100
Worship 92	100

RED CROSS VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

The response to the Red Cross call for volunteers has been tremendous, but the first wave of volunteers is dwindling and there is an urgent need for additional volunteers to help with the hurricane evacuees. Each volunteer must fill out a short application and they are available in the church hallway.

FROM THE SECRETARY.....



Little Mouse, I am looking for YOU!!

**A BLAST FROM THE PAST
August, 1967**

“Welcome back... especially if you have been on vacation or if we missed you last month....
 The keeper of the calendar tells us that Miss Susanne will soon become Mrs.....our very best wishes to her and her future husband.....
 (That's Miz Chloe and Mr. Harold's daughter, of couse ya know)

The Red Cross has described, in last month's Trinity Trumpet, a very worthwhile project for all of you humanfolk..we do hope you didn't miss it 'cause it's for our fellers in VietNam.

Dija know that the best way to get your teen-agers attention when he's (or she's) at home is to go downtown and call him (or her) up...and we believe it....don't you?

'Bye for now 'n be lovely,
 Church Mouse and Grandma

Sunday School Opportunities
9:45 AM

- ◇ Bereans in room B-6 studying **Faith Weavers**
- ◇ Foundations in room B-7 studying, **“How To Grow In Christ”** led by Rev. Russell Wilkins
- ◇ Youth in room B-9 studying the **Faith 4 Life Curriculum**
- ◇ 3rd-6th grade in room B-5 studying the **Faith Weavers curriculum**
- ◇ 1st-2nd grade in room B-4 studying the **Faith Weavers curriculum**
- ◇ Pre-K & K in room B-2 studying the **Faith Weavers curriculum.**